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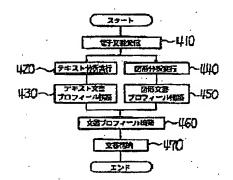
(57) Abstract

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To reduce the time and labor required for sorting the electronic documents and then storing these documents according to the sorting of them by preparing a step where the electronic documents are sorted, a step where the electronic documents are stored in the existing document hierarchies based on the sorting of these documents, etc.

SOLUTION: A processing logic analyzes the characters of electronic documents (420). A character document profile is constructed based on the character analysis results (430). The character document profile is a sorting element that is defined based on characters. At the same time, the processing logic analyzes the images of the electronic documents (440). Based on these image analysis results, an image document profile is: constructed (450). The image document profile is a sorting element that is defined based on the

images. Then a document profile is constructed based on both character and image document profiles (460).

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